

February 7.

**DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.****Today's Arrivals and Receipts.**

Sch. Elmer E. Gray, Le Have Bank, 25,000 lbs. fresh fish.

**Today's Fish Market.**

Market price large western cod to split, \$2.25 per cwt., medium do., \$1.50.

Large eastern cod, \$2.25, medium do., \$1.50.

Fresh round pollock, 70c per cwt.

Salt bank dory handline cod, \$4.50 per cwt. for large, \$3.50 for mediums and \$2.75 for snappers.

Fresh hake, \$1.10 per cwt.

Bank halibut, 14 cts. per lb. for white and 10 cts. for gray.

Salt herring, in bulk, \$2.50 per bbl.

Frozen herring, (cargo lots,) \$2.25 per cwt.

**Boston.**

Sch. Thomas J. Carroll, 2400 haddock, 500 cod, 4000 hake.

Sch. Seaconnet, 7000 haddock, 3000 cod, 1000 hake, 2000 cusk.

Sch. MILDred V. Nunan, 2000 haddock, 200 cod, 3000 hake.

Haddock, \$7.25 to \$7.50 per cwt.; cod, \$7.50 to \$9; hake, \$5 to \$8; cusk, \$3.50.

**Fishing Fleet Movements.**

Schs. Wm. H. Rider, Wautauga and Rena A. Percy were at Portland Wednesday.

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**Str. Spray Meets Rough Weather.**

The steam otter trawler Spray arrived at T wharf, Boston, yesterday, with a small trip, 10,300 pounds of fresh fish. Capt. Thomas reports very rough weather and was only able to work the trawl a part of two days since leaving port.

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**Halibut Sale.**

The fare of Sch. Paragon sold to the American Halibut Co., at 14 cents per pound for white, and 10 cents for gray.

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Sch. Speculator, Le Have Bank, 30,000 lbs. fresh fish.

Sch. Paragon, Quero Bank 12,000 lbs. halibut, 2000 lbs. salt cod.

Sch. Senator Saulsbury, Georges, 15,000 lbs. salt cod, 2500 lbs. halibut.

**Today's Fish Market.**

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Large eastern cod, \$2.25, medium do., \$1.50.

Fresh round pollock, 70c per cwt.

Salt bank dory handline cod, \$4.50 per cwt. for large, \$3.50 for mediums and \$2.75 for snappers.

Fresh hake, \$1.10 per cwt.

Bank halibut, 14 cts. per lb. for white and 10 cts. for gray.

Salt herring, in bulk, \$2.50 per bbl.

Frozen herring, (cargo lots,) \$2.25 per cwt.

**Boston.**

Steamer Spray, 9000 haddock, 4000 cod, 300 hake.

Haddock, \$7 per cwt.; cod, \$8.

**Fishing Fleet Movements.**

Sch. Flirt has gone haddocking under command of Capt. Owen Whitten.

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**Western Halibut.**

Eight carloads of Pacific halibut, the largest shipment for some time, are due at Boston this week.

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**Halibut Sale.**

The fare of sch. Preceptor sold to the New England Fish Co. at 14 cents per pound for white and 10 cents for gray.

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**REGULAR FISH FAMINE.****Boston and Gloucester Are Both Shy of Fresh Fish.****Only 58,000 Pounds Received at T Wharf This Morning.**

Boston, and Gloucester too, for that matter has a fresh fish famine on its hands.

All last week, fresh fish were exceptionally scarce and prices rose to almost unprecedented heights. But one vessel reached Boston Saturday, but a goodly number are expected today.

The dealers there were doomed to disappointment, however, for when the bell rung, there were just six vessels in the dock and altogether they had but 58,000 pounds of fish, just about enough to make up one good off shore trip.

Just imagine Monday morning at T wharf, with every store bare, customers clamoring for fish and only 58,000 pounds for all the dealers to get a share out of. The situation is nothing short of a famine.

Prices for new goods, of course are sky high. New haddock brought \$9 per hundred weight, cod the same and big hake fetched \$10.

The lucky crafts are schs. Oliver F. Hutchins, Sadie M. Nunan, Minerva, Richard J. Nunan and Hockomock.

Sch. Lizzie M. Stanley, which has been out quite a while, is there from off shore, with 22,000 pounds. Her fish were not very new evidently as her haddock sold for \$4.50.

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Sch. Preceptor, Green Bank, 14,000 lbs. halibut, 2000 lbs. salt cod.

**Today's Fish Market.**

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Large eastern cod, \$2.25, medium do., \$1.50.

Fresh round pollock, 70c per cwt.

Salt bank dory handline cod, \$4.50 per cwt. for large, \$3.50 for mediums and \$2.75 for snappers.

Fresh hake, \$1.10 per cwt.

Bank halibut, 14 cts. per lb. for white and 10 cts. for gray.

Salt herring, in bulk, \$2.50 per bbl.

Frozen herring, (cargo lots,) \$2.25 per cwt.

**Boston.**

Sch. Sadie M. Nunan, 3500 haddock, 700 cod, 2000 hake.

Sch. Olive F. Hutchins, 7500 haddock, 800 cod, 5000 hake.

Sch. Minerva, 3000 haddock, 500 cod, 600 hake, 500 cusk.

Sch. Lizzie M. Stanley, 20,000 haddock, 2000 cod.

Sch. Richard J. Nunan, 3500 haddock, 500 cod, 2000 hake, 1000 cusk.

Sch. Hockomock, 5000 haddock, 500 cod.

Sch. Catherine Burke, 10,000 haddock.

Haddock, \$4.50 to \$9 per cwt.; cod, \$9 to \$9.50; hake, \$6 to \$10.

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**Big Week's Work.**

Sch. Richard J. Nunan was in at T wharf last Wednesday, with a trip of fish, and her crew of 16 men shared \$46 a man, and yesterday they again made their appearance at the pier, and for the latter catch they shared \$20, making a total of \$66 a man for one week's fishing.

**Mr. Gorman Qualified.**

Mr. Herbert H. Gorman, recently selected to fill the place on the board of registrars, made vacant by the death of Mr. Preston Friend, appeared before City Clerk Somes yesterday and qualified. The board will organize for the year at a meeting about the first of May.

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**Grampus on Rye Beach.**

A grampus, a species of whale, was thrown up on the shore at Rye Beach Saturday. The fish was over five feet long and was alive when it came into shallow water and unable to make good its escape. Many visited the beach to examine the big fish.

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**SHORTENING UP.****Frozen Herring Vessels Finishing Up on Their Fares.****Six Crafts Now Left at This Port with Cargoes on Board.**

Sch. Harvard, bound for Philadelphia with her cargo of frozen herring, arrived at Delaware breakwater yesterday.

Sch. George Parker, now at this port, will be the next vessel to take her cargo of frozen herring to Boston to take out there.

Sch. Ingomar completed the discharge of her cargo of frozen herring at New York yesterday.

Sch. Esperanto finished up taking out her cargo of frozen herring at Philadelphia on Saturday. Part of her cargo were put in the freezer.

Sch. Priscilla Smith, taking out her frozen herring at New York, will probably finish up Friday. That will leave schs. Clintonia and Annie M. Parker there.

Sch. Aloha will sail from here today for New York to take out her cargo of frozen herring.

The frozen herring crafts now at this port are schs. Veda M. McKown, Blanche, Oregon, George Parker, T. M. Nicholson and Senator Gardner.

Sch. Hiram Lowell has completed the discharge of her cargo of frozen herring at Boston.

Sch. Smuggler and Br. sch. Douglass Adams are now taking out their frozen herring cargoes at Boston.

The fare of frozen herring of the Br. sch. Aldine has been discharged at Boston.

Sch. Arthur James has completed the discharge of her cargo of frozen herring at New York.

**Fish Concerns Consolidate.**

Pierce, Austin & Co. and Caswell, Livermore & Co., fish dealers, of Boston, have consolidated under the name of Pierce, Austin, Caswell, Livermore & Co. The officers are as follows: President, Granville Austin; vice president, L. Pickert; secretary, W. K. Beardsley; treasurer, W. L. Pierce; directors, the above officers and G. E. Willey and F. L. Clements.

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**NEARLY CAME TO BLOWS.****T Wharf Dealers Were Red Hot for Fish Yesterday.****Skippers Had Their Innings and Made Most of It.**

Cod and haddock almost precipitated fist-cuffs at T wharf, Boston, yesterday. The dealers were hard up for fish and the skippers knew it. The skippers had their innings, for they demanded big money for their catch of 60,000 pounds and held out till it was forthcoming.

"We've got you pat," sung out one of the skippers from the dock of a craft that looked like a section of Niagara Falls in zero weather. You've got to have fish and here's the goods. Put up or shut up."

The buyers representing the dealers made an absurdly low figure for a starter, and the skippers only swung their arms to warm their fingers and didn't hear, at least they didn't appear to notice what was going on. One buyer in sheer desperation raised the figures till he made it eight cents, and then the skippers began to take notice.

The figure went up to nine cents by fractions of a pound, and the fishermen finally concluded to let their fares go rather than parley. The buyers haggled and bargained and said things to each other, those who had bought what they wanted leaving the others on the caplog to argue to the bitter end.

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**Herring Notes.**

Sch. Arkona has completed the shipping of her cargo of frozen herring from this port.

Sch. Arthur James has nearly completed the discharge of her cargo of frozen herring at Boston.